

PATENT**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE - EXAMINING GROUP 2100****IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application

Art Unit: 2154

Inventor: Lester D. Nelson

Examiner: Jinsong Hu

Application No.: 09/657,370

RECEIVED  
CENTRAL FAX CENTER  
SEP 27 2004

Confirmation No.: 3329

Filed: September 8, 2000

Title: **METHOD FOR GENERATING  
CONVERSATION UTTERANCES TO A  
REMOTE LISTENER IN RESPONSE TO A  
QUIET SELECTION**

Customer No.: 23910

**CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.8**

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being transmitted by facsimile to the  
Commissioner for Patents, the United States Patent and Trademark Office, Examining Group  
2154, Facsimile No. (703) 872-9306, on September 27, 2004. Total number of pages  
transmitted: 11.

September 27 B. Z.  
Signature Date Attorney Signature  
2004 Bryon Wasserman  
Reg. No. 48,404

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

Mail Stop AF  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This Response is in reply to the Office Action mailed June 25, 2004. Please amend the  
application as follows.

Do not enter!  
271  
11/8/04